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INFORMATION COMMUNICATION  
METHOD, REMOTE MANAGEMENT  
SYSTEM, AND RECORDING MEDIUM  
STORING COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR  
INFORMATION COMMUNICATION

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated February 1, 2008, finally rejecting claims 1, 4-10, and 33-39, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.